

### SEEK NAMES TO OVERWHELM TAFT

Board of Lady Managers Still Cir- First Contest of Its Kind in culating Petitions to Retain Columbia Hospital.

dence of Mrs. MacMurray. 222 Massachusstts avenue northwest, for the purfour of preparing further plans for conducting the right in favor of the
four of preparing further plans for conducting the right in favor of the hospital. The regular monthly precing of
the board will be held at \$10.0 o'clock
reat Friday morning at the boughtle. A
special meeting, however, may be called
before that date.

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New York, Feb. 2.—Gov. Weodrew Wilson's candidacy for the Democratic Preparets of the Chinese partially approved to-night by a meeting of about 100 members of the Chinese rare, who, and in his history, were better ditted and more desirable for American labor and citieseship than many other for digners who comes here. With application of the public and provided the Chinamen adopted unanimously a resolution thanking Gev. Wilson for his business trainsacted by the Park the Universe strikes, and broad model-read and extending to him their best withers.

# Special Bargain!

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## BALL GAME ON ICE THIS AFTERNOON

Capital to Be Played on the Tidal Basin.

View Cithesia Association at its month-ity meeting, held last night at Whitney Avenue Christian Church, Park Mosd and Georgia avenue horthwest. Chariton & Clark, chairman of the school committee, reported that efforts were being minde to holice the Senate Committee to insert the item for a school inglifting on Park View in the District bill, from which it was stricken by the Hoose.

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The election of officers will be held at the next needing of the amodalism March 1. Those reministed inst minus ways: President J. d. McGursh in the president J. d. McGursh in the president J. J. d. McGursh in the president J. J. d. McGursh in the president James I. Williamsh in the president James I. Williamsh in the president James I. Williamsh, C. A. Addhi: financial secretary, H. W. Mcbrille, and executive committee, G. H. Bassel, W. R. Liner, and Sidney H. Kent.

# IDLE CLERKS COST

Why the Government Should Make Inauguration a National Affair.

A PRACTICAL ARGUMENT

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### MAY INVESTIGATE DU PONT ELECTION

Senate Committee Hears Charges Brought by Contestant for Delaware Solon's Seat.

An inquiry that has been begun before a subcommutate of the Judiciary Committee of the Henate will probably lead to for agilation for an investigation of the gloculation of Senator Dip Punt, of Delawars, to the United States Senate.

## LORIMER HEARING

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#### WHAT CONGRESS DID.

President Tuft's message on interior Department affairs sent to both House.

In order to receive Count Lustage, the House took a firteen-minute crosss.

The pension appropriation bill was passed by the House.
Debate began on the omnibus sear claims bill, providing for the payment of BLESL,000 growther out of the claims of the civil war. The bill-probably will pass to-day.

day.
The House and Senate District
Committee selled on ton bills.
The Sanate Finance Committee
set Tuesday for hearings on steel

The Sgnaje France commutes set Treaday for bearings on steel tarin revision. The Senate was not in session. The Lorimer investigating com-mittee heard forther testimony by Detective Balley.

#### PENSION BILL PASSES HOUSE.

Measure Wiping Out Seventees Agencies Adopted.

# STEEL HEARINGS

BEGIN TUESDAY

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Consideration of Underwood

Tariff Revision Measure.

Senate Committee Sets Date for Consideration of Underwood

Tariff Revision Measure.

The Finance Committee of the Senate has decided to begin hearings on the steel revision bill next Toesday. It is stated that the hearings will not be prolonged over an indefinite period, but will be concluded within three weeks or a month. The committee is anxious that revision definite project, but will be concluded within three weeks or a month. The committee is anxious that revision definite period, but will be concluded within three weeks or a month. The committee is anxious that revision desiring to be heard cummunicate at once with the chairman, so that the necessary arrangements may be performed as a special committee calculations and the committee calculations are report by made on the La Political Committee of the public sitilities bill, and that it be feature of the free his a good prospect that thus the feature of the first public situative. The placking of the committee of the insurance of the committee of the commit

### THE WASHINGTON HERALD SCORES AGAIN

District Commissioners Directed by the United States Senate to Report Upon Street Car Problem.

In an editorial upon "Street Car Facilities" in The Washington Herald last Tuesday the following suggestion was made:

"It would be well if Congress could call upon the street car managers or the engineer department of the District gov-ernment for a comprehensive report as to the best method of providing transportation in this city in the inture.'

The United States Senate, upon motion of Senator Callinger, has unanimously adopted a resolution in line with the above suggestion, as follows:

"Resolved, That the Commissioners of the District of "Resolved, That the Commissioners of the District of Columbia are hereby directed to communicate to the Senate, at as early a day as practicable, their views as to the necessity of establishing additional street car lines in the District, the routes over which they should be built, and whether they should be extensions of existing lines or independent companies, with blueprints accompanying."

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#### CLAYTON PRAISES UTILITIES BILL

President of Federated Citizens' Association Favors Measure Passed by Senate Committee.

public utilities commission. Williams McK. Claryton, president of the Yederstea Citizens' Association, pointed out that the bill, as recommended, gave the proposed commission full power to regulate the common carriers and utility corporations of this city and described the measure "as a real safeguard to the interests of the consumer." It is sincerely to be hoped," and Mr. Chayton, "that the measure will pass the Senuss. It will give Washington a supervisory body that is badly needed at this time. The bill, as amended, eliminated from the juriadiction of the commission only those common carriers engaged in interstate common carriers an 'gas corporation, an 'electrical corporation' shall be, and under the residing of the art every organization in Washington which is a jubble service corporation is amenable." This seatment was expressed by others, The fact that the measure vest the power of the Interstate Commerce Commission upon the District Commissioners, is looked upon an especially valuable.

# DOVE AND COUNT

fiscer of Dr. Francis Count Leatness, a Bohemian nobleman, who stood outside the chamber with an address on "Universal peace" in his hand.

Representative Beezer wanted to know why the count war to be admitted. The count, said he was not a parliamentariam and his title didn't necessarily mean that he should be allowed free entry when eminent members of the German Parliament—members with Socialistic tendencies—had not been invited to speak.

Majority Leader Underwood, who had asked manimous cansent that the House take a fifteen-minute recess wills the count spolne, numbed confusedly, and half a denser Democrats and Republicans hurried to the deak where the adamant questioner stood. They pointed cut that the count was a spleridd most and that little against solor should not had a little against a solor should not had a little against the solor should not had a little against the solor should not had a little count will rest the National Press Ciuta to-night and with be introduced by President Frederic Hankin.

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Representative McCall Asks Congress to Amend Constitution.

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A resolution proposing an amendment
to the Constitution granting Congress
the hower to pass laws regulating the
hours of labor generally throughout the
United States has been mirroduced in the
House by Representative issuand W. McOnli, of Manuschmetts.

Mr. McCall believes that the adoption
of the resolution would bring about better relations between capital and labor,
and in time result in the elimination of
"strikes" as a means of affinising labor
disputes.

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